

TITLE: [KITCHEN VENTILATION](#)

VERSION: V2.2

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DEFINITION: A mechanical system that transports air from the kitchen to the outside.

PURPOSE: Remove the unwanted substances produced while cooking, including smoke, moisture, and grease.

COMMON COMPONENTS: Switch Unit; Fan; Motor; Screen; Duct; Light; Extractor hood or canopy; Filtering system

LOCATION: ☒ Unit Primary kitchen, primary food preparation area  
☒ Inside Primary kitchen, primary food preparation area  
☐ Outside None

MORE INFORMATION: For the purposes of this inspection, "Kitchen Exhaust" does not include any kitchen ceiling fans, ductless recirculating range hoods, or microwave-based fans that only circulate air and offer no ventilation.

DEFICIENCY 1: Exhaust system does not respond to the control switch.

LOCATION: ☒ Unit ☒ Inside

DEFICIENCY 2: Exhaust system has restricted airflow.

LOCATION: ☒ Unit ☒ Inside

DEFICIENCY 3: Exhaust system component is damaged or missing.

LOCATION: ☒ Unit ☒ Inside

DEFICIENCY I — UNIT: EXHAUST SYSTEM DOES NOT RESPOND TO THE CONTROL SWITCH.

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DEFICIENCY CRITERIA: Exhaust system does not respond to the control switch.

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HEALTH AND SAFETY DETERMINATION: Moderate      The Moderate Health and Safety category includes deficiencies that, if evident in the home or on the property, present a moderate risk of an adverse medical event requiring a healthcare visit; cause temporary harm; or if left untreated, cause or worsen a chronic condition that may have long-lasting adverse health effects; or that the physical security or safety of a resident or their property could be compromised.

CORRECTION TIMEFRAME: 30 days

HCV PASS / FAIL: Fail

HCV CORRECTION TIMEFRAME: 30 days

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INSPECTION PROCESS:

OBSERVATION: - None

REQUEST FOR HELP: - None

ACTION: - Turn the exhaust system on.  
- Listen to hear the exhaust system activate.  
- Turn the exhaust system off.

MORE INFORMATION: - None

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OBSERVATION: - None

REQUEST FOR HELP: - None

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 - Listen to hear the exhaust system activate.  
 - Turn the exhaust system off.

MORE INFORMATION: - None

DEFICIENCY 2 — UNIT: EXHAUST SYSTEM HAS RESTRICTED AIRFLOW.

DEFICIENCY CRITERIA: Exhaust system is blocked such that airflow may be restricted.

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CORRECTION TIMEFRAME: 30 days

HCV PASS / FAIL Fail

HCV CORRECTION TIMEFRAME: 30 days

INSPECTION PROCESS:

OBSERVATION: - Visually inspect the exhaust system to identify any blockage that may restrict airflow.

REQUEST FOR HELP: - None

ACTION: None

MORE INFORMATION: - None

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ACTION: None

MORE INFORMATION: - None

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DEFICIENCY 3 — UNIT: EXHAUST SYSTEM COMPONENT IS DAMAGED OR MISSING.

DEFICIENCY CRITERIA: Exhaust system component is damaged (i.e., visibly defective; impacts functionality).  
 OR  
 Exhaust system component is missing (i.e., evidence of prior installation, but now not present or is incomplete).

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INSPECTION PROCESS:

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REQUEST FOR HELP: - None

ACTION: - None

MORE INFORMATION: Examples of damaged or missing components may include, but are not limited to:  
 - Fan  
 - Filter  
 - Screen  
 - Duct

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## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

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| FIELD                           | CHANGE   | VERSION     | DATE              |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------------|
| ----                            | Abbreviated published version  | V2.2        | 2022-06-23        |
| Name Variants                   | Removed from published version   |             |                   |
| Common Materials                | Removed from published version   |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Removed from published version   |             |                   |
| Tools or Equipment              | Removed from published version   |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 1</b>             |  | <b>V2.2</b> | <b>2022-06-23</b> |
| Health and Safety Determination | Unit: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate"<br>Inside: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate" |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 2</b>             |  | <b>V2.2</b> | <b>2022-06-23</b> |
| Health and Safety Determination | Unit: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate"<br>Inside: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate" |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 3</b>             |  | <b>V2.2</b> | <b>2022-06-23</b> |
| Health and Safety Determination | Unit: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate"<br>Inside: Relabeled from "Standard" to "Moderate" |             |                   |
| <b>Location</b>                 | <b>Removed Outside</b>   | <b>V2.1</b> | <b>2021-04-02</b> |
| <b>Deficiency 1</b>             |  | <b>V2.1</b> | <b>2021-04-02</b> |
| Title                           | Unit & Inside: Revised title   |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Unit & Inside: Revised deficiency criteria   |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Unit & Inside: Revised rationales, types, and explanations                                       |             |                   |
| Inspection Process              | Unit & Inside: Revised more information  |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 2</b>             |  | <b>V2.1</b> | <b>2021-04-02</b> |
| Title                           | Unit & Inside: Revised title   |             |                   |



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|---------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------------|
| Deficiency Criteria             | Unit & Inside: Revised deficiency criteria                 |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Unit & Inside: Revised rationales, types, and explanations |             |                   |
| Inspection Process              | Unit & Inside: Revised observation                         |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 3</b>             |  | <b>V2.1</b> | <b>2021-04-02</b> |
| Title                           | Unit & Inside: Revised title                               |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Unit & Inside: Revised deficiency criteria                 |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Unit & Inside: Revised rationales, types, and explanations |             |                   |
| Inspection Process              | Unit & Inside: Revised observation and more information    |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 1</b>             | <b>Unit &amp; Inside: Revised</b>                          | <b>V2.0</b> | <b>2020-10-28</b> |
| Title                           | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added standardized description                             |             |                   |
| HCV Pass / Fail                 | Field added; response input as "Fail"                      |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 2</b>             |  | <b>V2.0</b> | <b>2020-10-28</b> |
| Title                           | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added standardized description                             |             |                   |
| HCV Pass / Fail                 | Field added; response input as "Fail"                      |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 3</b>             |  | <b>V2.0</b> | <b>2020-10-28</b> |
| Title                           | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added standardized description                             |             |                   |
| HCV Pass / Fail                 | Field added; response input as "Fail"                      |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Copypedits   |             |                   |
| <b>Overall Formatting</b>       | <b>Complete rework of document format and layout</b>       | <b>V1.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |

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| <b>Purpose</b>                  | <b>Field added</b>  | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| <b>Common Components</b>        | <b>Revised common components</b>  | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| <b>Location</b>                 | <b>Revised inspectable locations</b>  | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| <b>More Information</b>         | <b>Field added</b>  | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| <b>Deficiency 1</b>             | <b>Separated by inspectable locations — Unit and Inside</b>   | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| Title                           | Revised title; added inspectable locations  |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Revised deficiency criteria   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added standardized description  |             |                   |
| Correction Timeframe            | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"   |             |                   |
| HCV — Correction Timeframe      | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"   |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Revised rationale categories, types, and explanations; added standardized codes and descriptions  |             |                   |
| Inspection Process              | Revised observation, request for help, action, and more information   |             |                   |
| Tools or Equipment              | Field added to deficiency; response revised   |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 2</b>             | <b>Separated by inspectable locations — Unit and Inside</b>   | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| Title                           | Added inspectable locations   |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Revised deficiency criteria   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added standardized description  |             |                   |
| Correction Timeframe            | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"<br>For Inside location, added note regarding shared kitchen with primary cooking source |             |                   |
| HCV — Correction Timeframe      | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"<br>For Inside location, added note regarding shared kitchen with primary cooking source |             |                   |
| Rationale                       | Revised rationale explanations; added standardized codes and descriptions   |             |                   |
| Inspection Process              | Revised observation, request for help, action, and more information   |             |                   |
| Tools or Equipment              | Field added to deficiency   |             |                   |
| <b>Deficiency 3</b>             | <b>Added by inspectable locations — Unit and Inside</b>   | <b>VI.3</b> | <b>2020-07-31</b> |
| Title                           | Added title; added inspectable locations  |             |                   |
| Deficiency Criteria             | Added deficiency criteria   |             |                   |
| Health and Safety Determination | Added "Standard" determination; added standardized description  |             |                   |

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| Correction Timeframe                    | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"  |             |                   |
| HCV — Correction Timeframe              | Field added; response input as "Within 30 days"  |             |                   |
| Rationale                               | Added rationale categories, types, and explanations; added standardized codes and descriptions |             |                   |
| Inspection Process                      | Added observation, request for help, action, and more information                              |             |                   |
| Tools or Equipment                      | Field added to deficiency  |             |                   |
| <b>Rationales</b>                       | <b>Updated following in-house review and public comment</b>                                    | <b>VI-2</b> | <b>2019-12-26</b> |
| <b>Health and Safety Determinations</b> | <b>Updated following in-house review and public comment</b>                                    | <b>VI-2</b> | <b>2019-12-26</b> |